

SUPER MARIO ADVENTURES

WOW! GET A LOAD OF THAT KOOPA COPTER!

BOWSER'S BACK!

IN THE LAST EPISODE, MARIO AND LUIGI WERE ATTEMPTING TO REPAIR THE PALACE PLUMBING WHEN PIPES BEGAN POPPING UP ALL OVER THE PLACE. FINALLY, A MONSTROUS PIPE APPEARED IN THE PALACE GARDEN, AND FROM IT EMERGED THAT DIABOLICAL DEADBEAT, BOWSER.

ILLUSTRATED BY CHARLIE NOZAWA

TESTING, 1, 2, 3, TESTING...AM I COMING IN LOUD AND CLEAR? AND A ONE, AND A TWO...

BONNING!

I'M K-MAN KOOPA, AND I'M HERE TO SAY, I'M A KIND, KIND KING--I'M GONNA MAKE YOUR DAY...



THE KING HAS A **BIG SURPRISE**,
SO LISTEN UP, SHROOMS,
AND FEEL YOUR EYES!



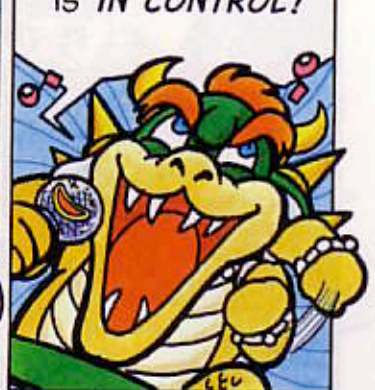
MOUNTAINS
HIGH...



TO VALLEYS
LOW...



K-MAN KOOPA
IS **IN CONTROL!**



I RULE 'MOST ALL THE
LAND YOU SEE, BUT
THAT'S STILL NOT
ENOUGH FOR ME...



I WANT TO RULE **THIS**
KINGDOM, TOO, AND THAT'S
JUST WHAT I PLAN
TO DO.



THUMBS UP, K-MAN,
HERE'S TO
YOU!



QUIT THE **RAP**, KOOPA CREEP.
WHAT'S YOUR **SCAM?**



CHILL OUT, AND LEND
AN EAR: I HAVE A **PRO-**
POSAL FOR YOU, MY DEAR



IF WE WANT TO LIVE IN
HAR-MO-NY, YOU'RE GOING
TO HAVE TO **MARRY**
ME!



IN YOUR **DREAMS--**
AND IN MY
NIGHTMARES!



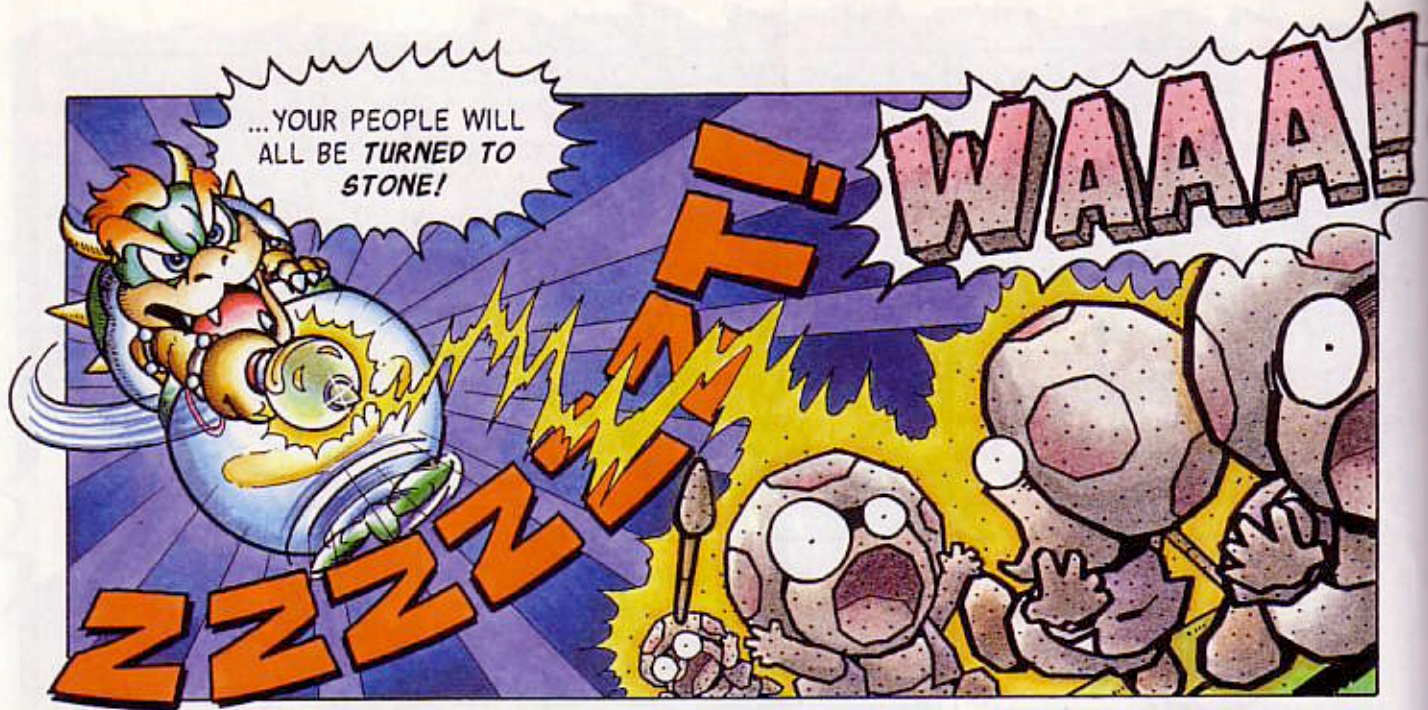
COME ON, SWEETCAKES, WE'LL
MAKE A **GREAT PAIR!** I CAN DO
THE **RULING** WHILE YOU **STYLE**
YOUR **HAIR!**



I'LL BE
BACK
FOR YOUR
ANSWER
BUT
BEFORE I
GO...

...JUST REMEM-
BER THAT IF
THE **ANSWER**
IS "NO"...



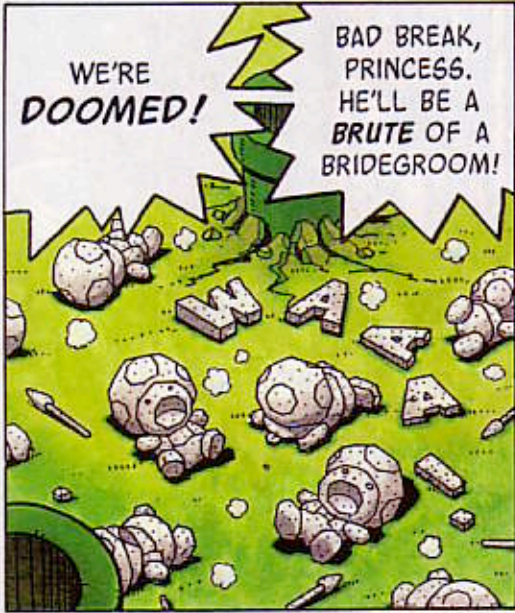


...YOUR PEOPLE WILL ALL BE TURNED TO STONE!

WAAA!



NOOOO!



WE'RE DOOMED!

BAD BREAK, PRINCESS. HE'LL BE A BRUTE OF A BRIDEGROOM!



WE CAN'T JUST CAVE IN TO HIM! WHERE ARE YOUR SPINES???

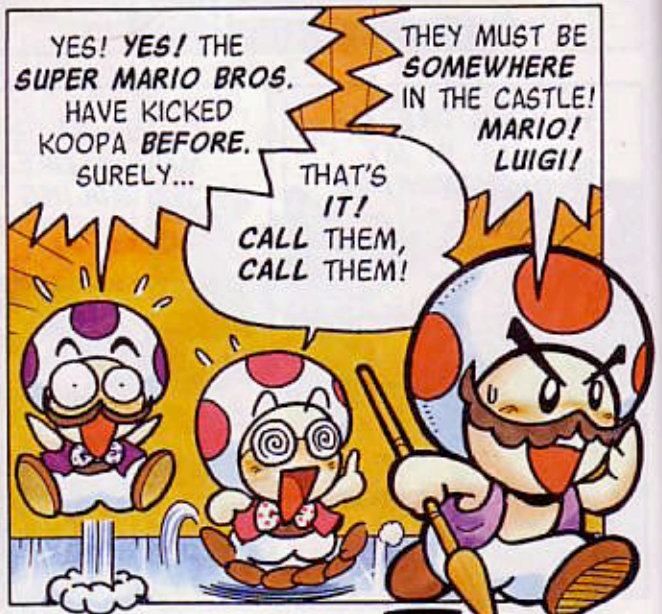


BUT PRINCESS... GET REAL!

WE DON'T STAND A CHANCE AGAINST BOWSER!



WAIT! DON'T FORGET THAT WE HAVE MARIO AND LUIGI ON OUR SIDE!



YES! YES! THE SUPER MARIO BROS. HAVE KICKED KOOPA BEFORE. SURELY...

THEY MUST BE SOMEWHERE IN THE CASTLE! MARIO! LUIGI!

THAT'S IT! CALL THEM, CALL THEM!

POOR MARIO!
HE CAN'T EVEN
SPEAK!

MARIO!

WHAT
HAPPENED
TO HIM?

MARIO'S BEEN TURNED TO STONE!
IT'S THE END OF OUR
ADVENTURES!

DON'T WRITE
US OFF YET!
I, FOR ONE,
REFUSE
TO BE
BULLIED.

BOWSER, YOU **BUCKETHEAD!**
PUT UP YOUR **DUKES!**

CALM DOWN, NOW,
PRINCESS,
IT'S UP TO YOU--YOU
CAN **MARRY ME**, OR
RULE STATUES!

TA TA, TURTLE DOVE,
UNTIL NEXT WEEK.
HERE'S A **SMOOCH** FOR
YOUR SWEET **CHEEK.**

SHWOOP!

BOWSER, GET
BACK HERE!

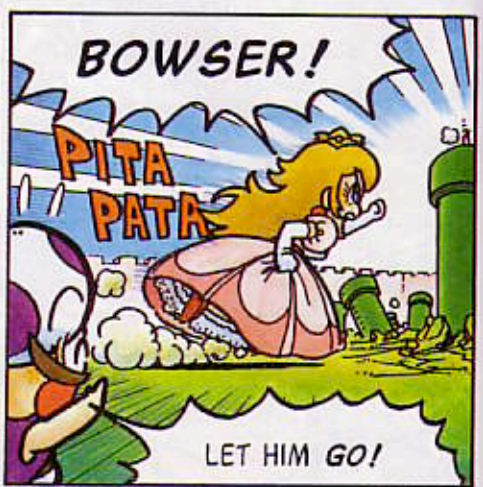
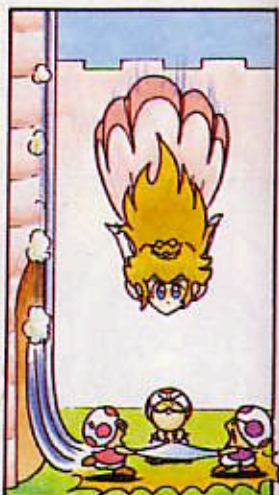
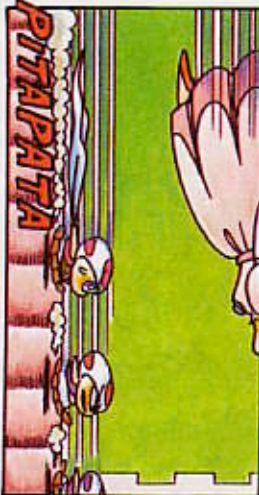
ZIP!

OH NO!

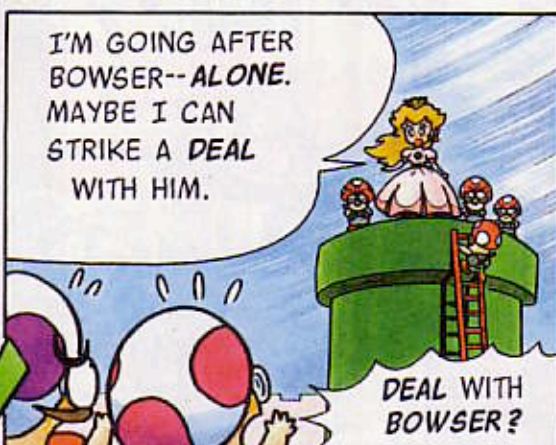
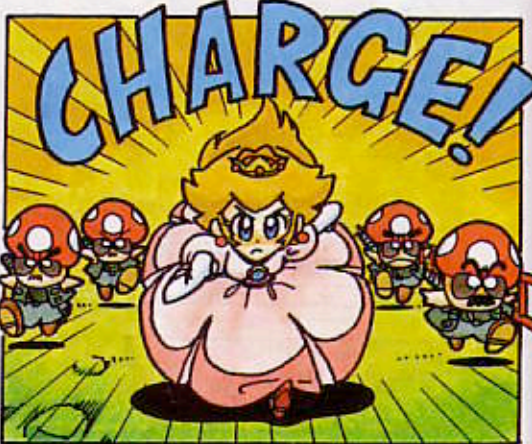
PRINCESS!



CATCH HER!



FALL IN, TROOPS!



I'M GOING AFTER BOWSER-- ALONE. MAYBE I CAN STRIKE A DEAL WITH HIM.

DEAL WITH BOWSER?



...PRINCESS! WAIT!

MARIO! MARIO!
GET A GRIP, MAN!

BONK!
BONK!

THIS IS A CRISIS
IF I'VE EVER
SEEN ONE!

WE HAVE
TO BREAK
THE SPELL!

WAIT! LET'S SLAP THE
SENSE BACK INTO HIM.
CALL THE MINISTER OF
MASSAGE!

YOU WERE WISE TO CALL ME. MY
MESSAGE WORKS MANY MIRACLES.
IT IS AN ART THAT GOES BACK
TO THE ANCIENT MOUNT FUJI
KARATE SCHOOL.

IT'S JUST THE TICKET FOR
CURING STIFF SHOULDERS,
RHEUMATISM, AND
VARIOUS TYPES OF
NEURALGIA.

CUT THE
CHAT AND
GET TO
WORK!

HMMM,
THIS
STIFF IS
SERIOUSLY
STIFF!

HI-YA!

AIEEEEE!

WHAPPA WHAPPA

ONE
WEEK
LATER...

I FEEL KIND OF
SLAP HAPPY...
WHERE...?

IT
WORKED!
HE'S COM-
ING TO!

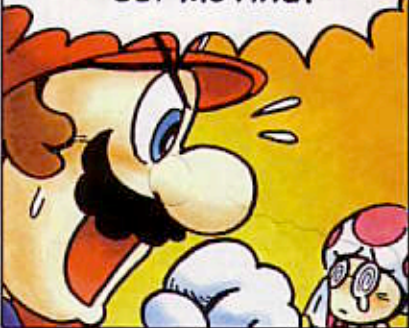
WHERE'S BOWSER?
LET ME
AT HIM!

POPP!

HE WENT DOWN THE TUBE--WITH THE PRINCESS HOT ON HIS HEELS!



THE PRINCESS IN PURSUIT?? LET'S GET MOVING!



C'MON, WEEGE! WE HAVE SOME PIPES TO CLEAN!

BUT, MARIO...



WHOOAAA!



YIKES! WHERE'S THE BOTTOM?



EVERY PIPE HAS ITS FITTING!



WHOMP!



SWISH!



MAYBE RIGHT. TO KEEP ENER...



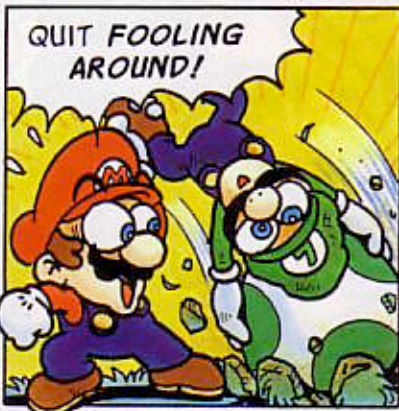
OWWW! ROUGH LANDING!

WHERE ARE WE?



WEEGE! TALK TO ME, BRO!

GROAN



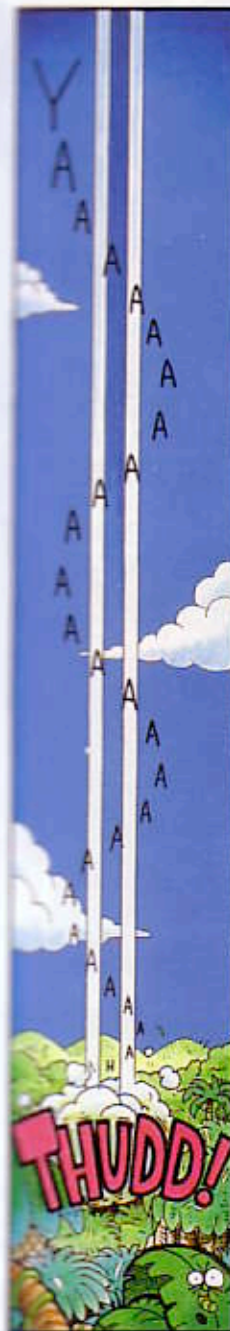
QUIT FOOLING AROUND!



WHAT'S THAT? IT LOOKS LIKE A GIANT EGG!

MAKE THE BEST OF THE SITUATION, THAT'S MY MOTTO.

HOW ABOUT A GIANT OMELETTE?

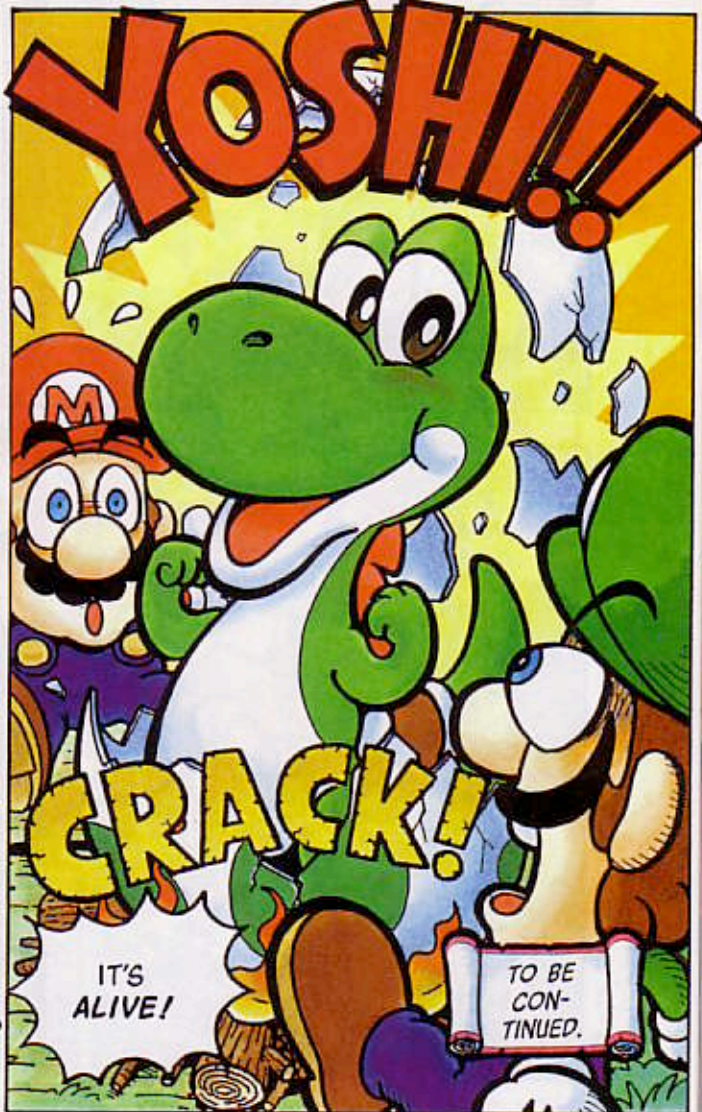


THIS IS NO TIME TO TALK ABOUT EATING! THE PRINCESS IS...

TELL YOUR STOMACH THAT!

THUDD!

GROWL



YOSHI!!!

CRACK!

IT'S ALIVE!

TO BE CONTINUED.



MAYBE YOU'RE RIGHT. WE HAVE TO KEEP OUR ENERGY UP!

I HOPE THAT IT'S HARD-BOILED.

CRACKLE!



CRRR!